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1. Prior to 18 January 1951, it was learned from border guard personnel and police in Szentgotthard (Y 3/C 45) that the fence along the Hungarian-Austrian border would be improved in the spring of 1951.
2. In December 1950, the Hungarian-Yugoslav border in the Djurdjevac (Y 4/A 32) area was blocked by the high barbed-wire fences, one on Hungarian and one on Yugoslav territory. In addition, watchtowers with searchlights were on the Hungarian side of the border. Border control on the Yugoslav side was perfunctorily performed by KNOJ personnel. Guard details of only 10 to 15 men were stationed at large intervals along the border. The Yugoslav border guards were frequently fired on from the Hungarian side.
3. No refugees from Hungary have been observed in the Djurdjevac area for a long time. There was scarcely any illegal border traffic.

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